

**PROVIDENCE FORGE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
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CHURCH STAFF

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THE SESSION 2021

Ginny Adamson (Worship) T1	2021-2023
Tom Ballou (Outreach) T1	2020-2021
Allison Christian (Fellowship) T1	2019-2021
Johanna Davis (Youth & Young Adult) T2	2020-2022
Davis Gammon (Stewardship) T1	2021-2023
Jamie Gray (Good Sam) T1	2019-2021
Ruth Hopke (Policy & Personnel) T2	2020-2022
Ayars Lore (Buildings & Grounds, PTP) T1	2019-2021
Leigh Quick (Clerk of Session) T2	2021-2023
Nathan Richards (Planning & Finance) T1	2020-2022
Patricia Robinson (Christian Ed.) T1	2021-2023
Jim Wallace (Nominating) T1	2020-2022

welcome



Providence Forge
Presbyterian Church

To further God's Kingdom on Earth, one soul at a time.

**PROVIDENCE FORGE
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World Communion Sunday
October 3, 2021**

PRELUDE Melody Raef

WELCOME Johanna Davis

MOMENT FOR REFLECTION Melody Raef

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Let us bring our joys and sorrows to the Lord.

People: We come from busy lives, filled with a host of blessings and concerns.

Leader: In worship, we give our fears to the Lord, for God will heal our souls.

People: Let us praise God, who listens to our cries and brings healing.

Leader: Let us open our hearts to the Lord!

People: Let us hear God's call to go and create a new world!

***SONG OF PRAISE** #420 God of Grace and God of Glory

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord, we look for you in all the wrong places. We put our trust in material things. We worry about things we cannot change. We wonder if you are even there at all. For all the times we have failed to trust you, Lord, forgive us. For all the ways we have neglected your word and ignored your people, forgive us. Do not be far from us, Lord. There is no one else we can turn to for help. Renew our fickle hearts and help us to learn to trust your ways. (Time of silence)

***WORDS OF FORGIVENESS**

***RESPONSE TO GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE** #579 Gloria Patri

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

TIME FOR CHILDREN Revelation 7:9 (ERV)

Then I looked, and there was a large crowd of people. They were from every nation, tribe, race of people, and language of the earth.

ANTHEM

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 8, Pew Bible p 427
Job 38:1-7, 34-41 Pew Bible p 420-421

SERMON "Living Within the Questions" Rev. Nancy Coleman

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed, Hymnal p 14
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

SONG OF PREPARATION #319 Spirit

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Sharing the Elements

Prayer

***SONG OF RESPONSE** #383 My Faith Looks Up to Thee

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Melody Raef

**All who are able are invited to stand*



WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY